



STRIKERS CLEAT AND UNIFORM DRIVE

The Sandpoint Strikers are teaming up with Soccer2Unite for a cleat and uniform drive.

Bring your sets cleats (must be in good shape) to Rick and he will collect them over the month of May. We will also be accepting current Striker uniform donations at our June tryouts to donate (YM, YL, AS, AM sizes only).

Questions, please email Rick at DOC@sandpointsoccer.com

Why Soccer2Unite™?

We are a Seattle based 501(c)3 Non-profit working for the betterment of children through soccer.

You know one parent, grandparent, teacher, coach, that one authority figure in your life that really believed in you? The seed was planted to grow into the greatness they saw in you even though you may not have seen or felt it in yourself. The fact that someone dreamed with you and said,

“You

can do it, I believe in you!”



This is what we do at Soccer2Unite. We work with children who have nothing, not even a pair of shoes and encourage them to take action and strive for excellence. Soccer2Unite is changing the paradigm of girls being considered second class citizens, taking a back seat to the boys; empowering these girls to dream and achieve their goals.

Children are receiving scholarships to schools because of their involvement in Soccer2Unite. They are being selected by professional soccer players to attend professional soccer academy's. They are being kept busy, have a sense of community, a place where people hold them accountable and truly care about their wellbeing. They are learning leadership, discipline, perseverance, tenacity and teamwork which generates comradery, and lifelong friendships.



Want to be a part of the solution?

- Donate money so that we can continue to deliver soccer uniforms and gear to much needed children who long to play soccer, sponsor soccer tournaments and leagues where girls can participate.
- Donate uniforms, cleats and soccer balls so that we can put together an entire team kit.
- Be a part of our program; we are looking for volunteers who can help in fundraising, equipment procurement and organizing, social media and administration.
- Travel with us! Lead and participate in coaches and children's clinics

Contribute your knowledge and expertise We are here waiting for you!

Soccer2Unite (S2U) is a Seattle based Non-Profit organization started in September 2013. S2U was started by Suzanne Fortune, an entrepreneur who raised three boys, all whom were passionate about the game of soccer. Suzanne was struck by the positive impact soccer had on her and her family; teaching discipline, leadership, comradery, and other invaluable life lessons. Suzanne wanted to take those positives from the game of soccer that were so meaningful to her and her family and share them with children less fortunate. Suzanne began by gathering used soccer uniforms, cleats, and balls from local clubs and personally took them to an orphanage in Uganda, based on an invitation from a friend.

As of today, S2U has donated more than 1,500 uniforms, 500 sets of cleats, and 600 soccer balls to community-based organizations in Uganda. S2U has sponsored and organized elementary school soccer tournaments, provided coaching clinics, giving disadvantaged youth the opportunity to develop skills, build self-esteem, and grow both emotionally and physically through the game of soccer.